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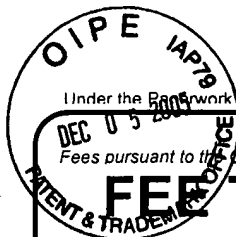
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)** **Multiple Dependent Claims**
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Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**
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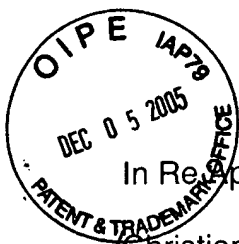
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Christian Wachter, et al.

Serial No.: 10/620,583

Group Art Unit: 3681

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For: DIFFERENTIAL DRIVE WITH LIGHTWEIGHT DIFFERENTIAL CARRIER

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Claim 13 was allowed without substantive amendment. Specifically, claim 13 was only rewritten in independent form. Claim 13 is also generic. Thus, Applicants consider the subject matter of both dependent claim 15 and dependent claim 16 to be within the scope of claim 13. Nevertheless, in furtherance of prosecution of the present case, Applicants agreed to the Examiner's cancellation of claim 16 to avoid the possibility of producing a hybrid species claim.

Respectfully Submitted,

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